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	2,163,960	6/1939	Paver			
	2,796,484	6/1957	Wolf			
	3,056,628	10/1962	Golde			
	3,118,984	1/1964	Koenig			
	3,277,256	10/1966	Jones			
	3,485,977	12/1969	Goble			
	3,522,398	7/1970	Heimann			
	3,622,723	11/1971	Fischel			
	3,732,384	5/1973	Fischel			
	4,115,952	9/1978	French			
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	4,273,974	6/1981	Miller			
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	4,742,196	5/1988	Kelly			
	4,808,336	2/1989	Rubner et al.			
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	4,987,277	1/1991	Duhon			
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	5,221,510	6/1993	Kassaw, Jr. et al.			
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		5,844,523	12/1998	Brennan et al.			
		5,852,589	12/1998	Wilson et al.			
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		6,042,925	3/2000	Kerr et al.			
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